



OSWEGO FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT



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Press Release

For Immediate Release
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Assist Kayaker In Distress *Fox River-Oswego Township*

(Oswego, IL) On August 19, 2017 at approximately 1:30 P.M. Oswego F.P.D. was dispatched to assist a kayaker in distress on the Fox River, in the area of the Orchard Rd. Bridge. Oswego responded with two rescue boats, water rescue personnel, a Battalion Chief, and two ambulances. The subject was found sitting on an island on the North side of the river and was assisted to shore. The person was treated on the scene and released. Plainfield Fire assisted by standing by in Oswego's station with an ambulance.

The Oswego Fire Protection District was formed by voter referendum in March of 1936, covers over 60 square miles in the northeast portion of Kendall County and about 1.5 square miles of northwest unincorporated Will County.

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